Studying at NYU gives you the opportunity to gain hands-on experience in some of the world’s greatest cities. Here are just a few examples of how NYU students gain real-world skills during their undergraduate experience.

- **Arts and music** students are supported in their pursuit of internship and volunteer placements in various professional venues, such as concert halls, record companies, galleries, television and radio stations, theatres, and other arenas in the industry. One piano performance major performed at Carnegie Hall and helped curate a concert series entitled “Music with a Vue” for patients and guests at Bellevue Hospital.

- **Communication** majors find ample opportunities at the many NYU locations around the world. One student volunteered with the West Africa AIDS Foundation while studying at NYU Accra in Ghana. In Accra, she worked at a hospice and made a documentary film about patient struggles. She also produced a hugely successful fund-raising concert for World AIDS Day, and, when she returned to New York, she continued her work with the Student Initiative for AIDS.

- At NYU Florence, two Liberal Studies students focusing on education made use of their interests in globalization and human rights as well as their fluency in English, Italian, and Spanish by volunteering at the Educational Center for Peace and Human Rights, where they launched a program for middle school students to explore race and social tolerance.

- **Social work** majors participate in three full semesters of supervised field instruction (700 hours), delivering social work services at sites that include Bellevue Hospital, the Children’s Defense Fund, the Henry Street Settlement, and the LGBT Community Center.

Internships and fieldwork, semesters abroad, networking in an alumni network of over 400,000, and researching in labs with faculty members turn classroom studies into a world of professional experience.